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Sen. Morse Clears CIA

SALEM (Special) — Sen. Wayne Morse said Monday the Central Intelligence Agency was not involved in the resignation of Brazilian President Janio Quadros.

In a press conference at the State Fair grounds, the senator, who had exhibited Devon cattle a few hours earlier, said that Robert Goodwin, a member of the President's task force on Latin America, reported that the government was not responsible for the Quadros resignation.

Critics of the United States have accused this government of having a hand in the Brazilian crises.

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Morse said that Goodwin gave his report on the Brazilian situation to the Senate Committee on Latin American Affairs, of which the senator is a member.

Morse said, however, the U.S. should watch very carefully the action of the military in the present situation. The Brazilian army announced Sunday it had dropped its opposition to leftist Vice President Joao Goulart.

Morse also reiterated his stand on nuclear testing and the problem of Berlin.

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"We are not going to settle the nuclear problem by negotiation with the big powers," he said.

"I have urged and still strongly recommend that the nuclear question should be placed before the United Nations. If we continue this nuclear race we will certainly get involved in a nuclear war."

In his closing remarks in the interview, Sen. Morse commended Gov. Mark Hatfield's role in solving the recent construction strike and also praised the governor for his work on the Boardman industrial site.

Sen. Morse's Devon entries won all the top awards at the fair in that class. He competed against two other Devon breeders. There were only three breeders in the contest.